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PERSONAL CARE PRODUCTS
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Supplemental Amendment

S I R :

In response to the Examiner's correspondence dated July 3, 2003, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the amended claims as follows. Applicants note that the previously filed amendment was considered non-compliant to the new rules and therefore was not entered. In this response, claims 1-2, 14, 30-32, 38-39, 41-44 and 48, have been amended, claims 29 and 37 have been cancelled and claims 57 and 58 have been added as new claims which are substantively nearly identical to original claims 29 and 37. Applicants note that claims 4 and 16, inadvertently previously cancelled in the non-compliant amendment, are not cancelled in this amendment.

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 29 and 37 and amend the claims as follows.

1. (Currently amended) A composition for use in personal care products produced by the method of:

a. producing a trialkanolamine fatty acid ester comprising reacting a trialkanolamine according to the general structure:

